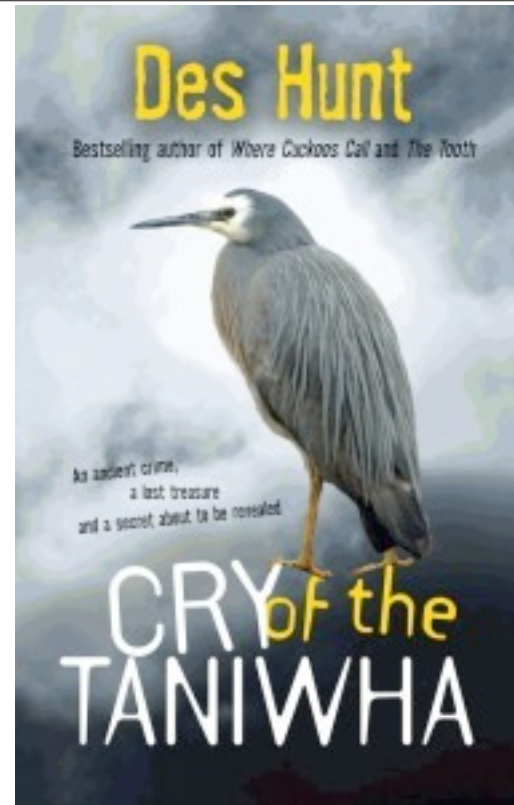


Des Hunt lives at Matarangi in the Coromandel Peninsula and has done for the past 40 years.



Des Hunt's latest book is called The Naughty Book Of Nature which was written last year in 2010. Des Hunt's last chapter book was called Cry Of The Taniwha which is a story based in Rotorua.



Des Hunt has written 11 kid chapter books and started writing them in 2002. The most popular one is Frog Whistle Mine.

Des Hunt started writing 40 years ago but wasn't that interested in it until he quit his part time job in 2007. He stuck with writing and then became a famous author and now sells all his books around the world.

For more than 40 years Des Hunt was a secondary teacher where he taught 3 subjects, physics, electronics and then teaching on computers.